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Citizenship Status of AMELATTER-1

ACTION REQUIRED

1. Pursuant to the discussions held in the Summer and Fall of 1961 between Robert K. TOUCHARD and JUREK KUSOWA representatives, concerning the possible courses of action by which AMELATTER-1 might regain his citizenship, J2/J3P has made inquiries to determine the feasibility of re-initiating a private bill in Congress, based on AMELATTER-1's past services to non-KGB organizations.
2. IDENNY has advised that AMELATTER-1 furnished them information "of minor importance"; the Bureau of Customs and the Narcotics Bureau had no record of AMELATTER-1. ODACID, after repeated inquiries, has informed us that they cannot locate AMELATTER-1's file.
3. It would seem that a new private bill would have as little hope of success as the two previously introduced, since a strong case cannot be made for A-1's prior services, based on the weak or negative replies noted above, nor is it currently possible to request a legal re-examination of the basis for ODACID's action to strip A-1 of citizenship, since the file is missing.
4. It is recommended, therefore, that the best method whereby AMELATTER-1 can regain his citizenship is to apply at the nearest Consulate overseas for an immigrant visa. Mexico City is the most likely place. If J2/J3P and AMELATTER agree to do this, Headquarters will be glad to assist in expediting the visa issuance.

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